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FINANCIERS GO TO PARIS TO PREPARE SCHEME FOR EUROPE'S ECONOMIC RE-CONSTRUCTION

Government Officials Strike In Egypt Twelve Persons Dead As Result of Disorders

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 25.—Bluejackets arrived here Saturday in connection with the rioting which has been going on for several days. A flotilla of armed Nile boats manned by bluejackets will proceed to the upper Nile. The military have taken control of Port Said. Disturbances from various parts of Egypt were reported to-day, but the police and military are said to have the situation in hand. Twelve persons are dead as a result of disorders in Cairo so far.

CAIRO, Dec. 26.—Five persons were killed and four wounded by troops who were called out during an attack on a police station here to-day. The troops opened a heavy fire on the rioters. A majority of Government officials have decided to go on strike, but it is not expected they will remain out long. Minor acts of sabotage to telegraph and telephone poles are reported in lower Egypt.

Treaty Between Columbia and U. S. Ratified

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—The Treaty between Columbia and the United States which was ratified by the American Senate in April has been ratified by the Columbian Congress. It provides for the payment of \$25,000,000 by the United States to Columbia.

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NO FORMAL ALLIANCE IS ARRANGED

Canadian Conservatives Will Be Official Opposition.

OTTAWA, Dec. 26.—The idea of a formal alliance between Liberals and Progressives is now dismissed as improbable, but it is believed the week-end negotiations between King and Crerar have resulted in an entente by which the Progressives will occupy the position of benevolent neutrality, leaving to the Conservatives the functions of the official opposition.

Entente Is As Strong As Ever, Says Premier Briand

PARIS, Dec. 25.—There was no question at the London discussions of France abandoning the guarantee given by the Versailles Treaty. Premier Briand declared in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday. The Entente between France and England is as strong and complete as ever, Briand added.

China's New Premier

PEKING, Dec. 25.—A Presidential mandate to-day appointed Liang Shih VI. Premier. He succeeded Chia Yang Peng who with his ministers resigned a week ago.

Great Lakes Closed

SAULTE STE MARIE, Dec. 25.—Navigation on the Great Lakes formally closed to-day, with the passage through the locks of the steamer Sir Thomas Shaughnessy.

DODGING THE DOG.

At Christmas the children of a certain school tried to collect money by going from house to house singing carols and snatches of hymns. Complaints reached the rector's ears of hands of youngsters scampering thru the first verse of "While Shepherds Watched," and then violently ringing the door-bell. He instituted inquiries when he visited the school.

"Why is it," he asked, "that, instead of a clergyman decided to take up golf, you scamper through one verse and then ring the bell?"

A shrill voice from a small boy at the back of the room was heard in explanation: "Please, sir, it's 'cause they always lets the dog loose at the second verse."

Among the witnesses was an old Negro.

"Do you swear that what you tell shall be the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth?" intoned the clerk.

"Well, sah," returned the witness, shifting uneasily, "dis lawyer gemman kin make it a pow'ful lot easier on hisself an' relieve me of a mighty big strain of he'll leave out anything about kin an' chickens. 'Ceptin' to lose. Ah guess Ah kin stick to de truth."

PROSPERO'S PASSENGERS

The following passengers went by the Prospero:—Fr. Thibault, C. A. Batstone, P. Wells, W. Meadus, Mrs. Courage, Miss Courage, Peter Bragg, Mrs. P. Bragg, Miss E. Mullett, Wm. Miller, R. White, E. Stokes, H. Stokes, F. Batstone, Miss Burton, F. Coles, Jos. Locke, H. Hillier, Mr. and Mrs. Windsor, K. Crowley, E. P. Parsons, Mrs. E. P. Parsons, Mrs. White, H. Wiseman, Mrs. F. G. Wiseman, Miss Batstone, Mr. Russell, F. Roberts, Levi Fifield, Leander Luff, S. Blandford, Mrs. Clark, Mr. Lodge, P. Hunt, Lucy Blake, Miss Flynn, Mrs. John Brien, Mrs. Mullett, A. Whalen, B. Norris and 46 second class.

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LATEST MONTREAL'S PENNILESS SOLDIERS

Begging on The Streets.

MONTREAL, Dec. 25.—The streets of the city were dotted on Saturday by unemployed penniless soldiers soliciting aid for themselves and starving companions. They were selling tags inscribed, "help keep the men who fought for you from starving." The armourees were placed at the disposal of the homeless for Christmas.

Lloyd George Knows

AMIENS, Dec. 26.—Lloyd George, on his way to Cannes to attend the meetings of the Allied Supreme Council, said, I am going there with the ardent desire that France shall be entirely satisfied and I am sure we shall reach the result we are seeking.

31 Storm Victims

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25.—A storm which swept lower Mississippi early Saturday took a toll of 31 lives and injured 70.

Row In Calcutta

CALCUTTA, Dec. 26.—Twenty-five persons were injured, one fatally, during a fight last night between Eurasians and Mohammedans which grew out of a dispute over a hawk and had no connection with the visit of the Prince of Wales.

Disorders In Belfast

BELFAST, Dec. 26.—Further disorders occurred here to-day. A dozen shots were fired in Louis Street but so far as known nobody was hurt. Soldiers were hurried to the scene and restored order.

And Miss V. Crocker is on the "Quaker Girl."

MISUNDERSTOOD!

An author, looking for country types, managed to get into conversation with three garrulous women in the bar parlour of a village inn. The talk was uninteresting until the author spoke of husbands. All three women became "simultaneously concerned."

Very proudly one declared, "Mine's a farm labourer, mine is," while the second snorted and huffed contemptuously, as she announced that her husband was a ploughman.

The third woman gazed absently into the fire. The author turned to her and said: "And you, mother: what's yours?"

Without raising her eyes, she murmured: "Oh, mine's a drop of gin, thank ye very much, sir."

"Oh, Mr. Flipperley," she exclaimed, soulfully, "have you ever felt a dim, uneasy sense of oppression as if the mere weight of life were a burden too heavy to be borne by the chained spirit panting with psychic longing to be free?"

"I invariably have such a feeling at Christmas-time," was the callous response; "but hitherto I have attributed it to pudding!"

them no doubt, men who would be big men in the true sense and all of them worthy of the confidence that was being shown in them. At the close of His Excellency's remarks three cheers were called for him and they were given with a zest by the lads such as is not often put into cheers.

The boys and the Rotarians joined together in partaking of the lunch; they joined together in the rollicking songs that were interspersed amongst the courses; they were as one in the enjoyment which the gathering afforded. Undoubtedly to-day's Rotary Club luncheon was the most notable so far held by that organization.

And Mrs. C. Hutton is on the "Quaker Girl."

Ulster As Britain's Youngest Offspring

Sir James Craig Sends His Christmas Message

BELFAST, Dec. 25.—The Ulster Premier issued the following Christmas message to-day: "On behalf of Britain's youngest offspring I gladly express Ulster's complete confidence in Mr. Ba'four and his colleagues in their endeavours to secure permanent goodwill amongst the nations. This effort in the United States to promote universal trust and freedom from war sanctifies American soil and emphasizes the greatness of her people. Ulster will rejoice with the world if there radiates from Washington this Christmas season tidings of universal peace which will in the hearts of all of us add another star to the folds of Old Glory."

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A child who is so stubborn that he will not say "please" and "thank you," when told kindly to do so, requires severe measures taken with him, not only for lack of politeness but also because of his stubbornness. The only way is simply not to allow him to have what he wishes until he says please, and to take it away from him unless he says thank you. If he cries put him by himself until he says please, and to take it away from him unless he says thank you. If he cries put him by himself until he says please, and to take it away from him unless he says thank you.

Never be ashamed to tell a child that you do not know the answer to a special question and, above all, never get impatient of the questioning. That is nature's way of making instruction easier for you. Losing your patience may, after a time, mean losing the child's confidence and love.

Two golfers were discussing the events of the day. Said one, "I shan't employ that caddy again. He has an annoying trick of whistling."

"That may be," said golfer No. 1, "but what I object to is this. Whenever I make a bad stroke and remove some of the turf, he whistles that well-known hymn, 'We plough the fields and scatter.'"

The Woes of Mrs. Newlywed

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CHAPTER XXXIII.

Cyril's Bride.

"Give me a spade, some one!" he said, hoarsely.

Lord Ferndale brought one, and they stood round while Jack worked.

A suspense of a few minutes that seemed ages, and then they heard his voice as a knell:

"I have found the answer; it is here!"

Two years later the artistic world was thrown into a stage of excitement by a certain picture in the Academy exhibition of that season.

It was a landscape—a small one, but with two figures, a lady and a child. The lady was seated under an apple tree in a most delightful orchard, and the child was lying on its back, vainly endeavoring to bite an apple at least three times the size of its mouth.

It was so fresh in treatment, so delicately painted, that the connoisseurs were unanimous in their approbation and praise, compositions, were quite content with being charmed by the exquisite beauty of the mother and the delightfully lifelike youngster. It was the picture of the year, and it was found necessary to place before it the protecting rail and policeman which only appear before the great event of the exhibition. Critics praised it, the papers rhapsodized it, the public crowded to see it, and for some days after that on which the exhibition opened, everybody was asking who and what the painter was, for the name in the catalogue was evidently an assumed one, and told nothing.

The mystery only heightened the public and artistic curiosity and interest, and at dinner parties and in the pauses of the dance one heard people saying to each other: "Have you seen the mother and child in the apple orchard? Splendid isn't it? Wonder who on earth the man is?"

The secret was very well kept—for nearly a month. At the end of that time, however, the veil was lifted, for a famous critic, who was sharper than his fellows, happened to visit the gallery one afternoon, and found the popular Countess of Arrowdale standing before it.

As he looked first at the picture and then at her she happened to smile. Now, the mother was not a portrait of Norah, but Cyril had perhaps unconsciously bestowed upon the painted face a reflection, a hint of the smile which was of the charms with which Norah worked

her spells, and the critic divined the truth.

"Lady Arrowdale," he said, growing red with the excitement of his discovery, "your husband painted that picture."

Norah flushed and smiled.

"Oh, please don't tell," she said. "It was to be a secret, and—and we have kept it so well!"

"Yes, you have," returned the critic, who, of course, meant to rush off as soon as he could and proclaim his important find. "Yes, indeed you have. I know Lord Arrowdale's pictures pretty well, I think, but, tho they are good, as I've said very often, they are nothing compared with this. It is such a sudden jump. How do you account for it, Lady Arrowdale?"

Norah smiled, and looked at the picture in silence, but some one spoke for her.

"Permit me, Lady Arrowdale," said Jack, who had stepped up and heard the little speech. "This picture is so far and away the best of my friend's, Lord Arrowdale, because he mixed his colors with the oil of happiness, drew the orchard by the light of love, and gave his whole heart to the mother and the child. And now you know not only how Arrowdale came to paint such a picture, but why he calls it 'Joy.' Am I right, Lady Arrowdale?"

And Norah, as she put her hand on his arm, could only assert by a smile which the critic afterward declared made him feel as if the tears were in his eyes as well as in hers.

THE END.

(Look out for new story to-morrow.)

Heath Hints.

Nurse says, when you are in a sickroom don't allow the sheets to become wrinkled. Don't jar the bed by leaning or sitting on it. Don't allow stale or wilted flowers to remain in the room. Don't appear anxious as often people who are ill are very sensitive. Don't rattle papers. Nothing gets on a patient's nerves as much as this. The carpet or rug may be kept clean without the usual disorder by throwing damp tea leaves over part of the room at a time and quickly brushing them up with a broom.

Don't shut out the light from the sickroom when the patient is able to tolerate it. Make the sickroom the most cheerful and best ventilated room in the house. Don't let bad air remain in the sickroom, as pure air is imperative to recovery. Avoid air from the kitchen or clothes closets. Outside air is the best, but when the least bit cool there should be a fire or heat in the room to take off the chill.

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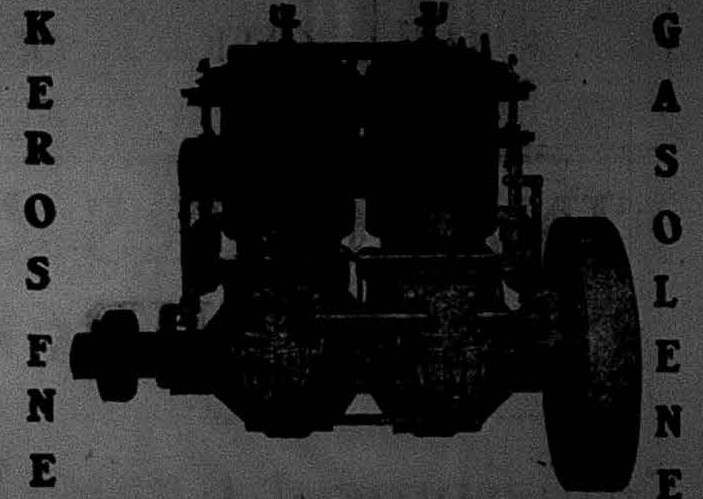
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- No. 4 Building, Shop & Retail Store—92 x 34—1 storey.
- No. 5 Building, Lumber, etc.—2 stories 41 x 26.
- No. 6 Building, Dwelling House.
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- No. 2 Building, Oil Store—1 storey 20 x 20.
- No. 3 Building, Salt Bulk Fish Store—1 storey 40 x 20.
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- No. 5 Building, Dry Fish Store, etc.—2 Stories 70 x 25.
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OBITUARY

WILLIAM BOLT

The funeral of the late William Bolt took place yesterday afternoon at the Church of England Cemetery. His Lordship the Bishop of Newfoundland and the Rev. A. B. Stirling, Rector of St. Mary's Church, officiating. The late William Bolt was one of St. John's best known and most highly esteemed citizens, a gentleman of strong character, and much influence, a stalwart churchman, loyal subject and exemplary citizen.

In another month he would have attained his 85th year. His father died a few weeks before his birth, but his grandmother, who was born in this city lived to a great age, exceeding his own. Her father came to this country from the South of England. Mr. Bolt's personal knowledge of Newfoundland and especially of St. John's was extensive. He was a stout lad of ten years when the city was swept by flames in 1846.

From his grandmother's lips he had learned stories dating back to the middle years of George III's long reign and stories dating perhaps to the reign of the second George, for she as a child, had listened to tales told by her father, the sturdy pioneer who had left his English home to prosecute the fisheries. Few veterans remain to tell of old St. John's of the days when carriages were few, when congested localities were green fields or clad with smiling forests, and when customs differed greatly from those now prevailing, and with rare exceptions was found one better informed of the history of the country and the city than the late William Bolt.

During recent years he lived in retirement with his son, the Rev. Canon Bolt, but until four years ago retained his activity in church and state—superintending his business at four score years. His wife, formerly Miss Andrews, also a Newfoundlander by birth, after 53 years of happy married life, passed away in 1917. Five years earlier it had been their privilege to celebrate their Golden Jubilee.

The Rev. Canon Bolt is their only surviving child, and it is interesting to note how his life and that of his parents and children have been identified with the Church of St. Mary the Virgin. The late Mr. Bolt attended the first service held in the sacred edifice, and was a constant attendant so long as health permitted. His son, Canon Bolt, was baptised in the Church, confirmed at the first confirmation service held there. On his return from College his first sermon was preached at St. Mary's. Later he became Curate; later, Rector; was married in the Church, and there his son Dr. William Bolt, now of the General Hospital, Winnipeg, was baptised. Two other grandchildren survive, Miss Elizabeth, resident in Montreal and Miss Gertrude with her parents.

Mr. Bolt was, perhaps, the oldest parishioner, and for many years was a prominent member of the Church Vestry. In Masonic circles he was held in honour. He was a member of Avalon Lodge, probably its oldest member, and also of Shannon Chapter. In the British Society he held seniority. At the funeral Guards of Honour from both Societies and Chapter were in attendance.

After a long and well spent life, the call came at 9.50 o'clock on Christmas Eve. "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith," said St. Paul and there, too, is William Bolt's epitaph. He has come to his "grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in its season."

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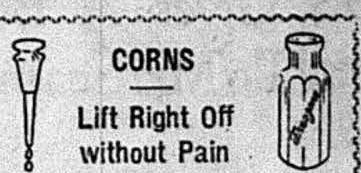
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Carol Service At St. Andrew's

Quite a large congregation assembled in St. Andrew's Church on Christmas Eve to hear the choir render their annual Carol Service. For over an hour they listened with rapt attention and unabated interest to the various selections which were splendidly given.

It can safely be said that St. Andrew's choir in the past has always had a reputation for providing something good musically around the Christmas season, and there is no doubt that this year they excelled all their previous efforts.

Much of this success is largely due to the painstaking efforts of their energetic organist and choirmaster, Mr. Moncrieff Mawer, who has managed to build up a choir of over three dozen voices, nicely balanced and who put their whole heart and soul into their work.

The different numbers of the programme were rendered in a manner which left no cause for comment. Particularly pleasing was the Motett for soprano solo and chorus "Hear My Prayer" (Mendelssohn).

The solo part in this beautiful composition was taken by Mrs. E. Campbell who sang the part with the fervour and pathos demanded, her clear and resonant soprano voice being heard to great advantage. The chorus in this number sang with taste, the necessary light and shade effects being well observed.

Among the soloists mention might be made of the recitative "Comfort Ye," and the air "Every Valley Shall be Exalted," from Handel's "Messiah," which was most artistically sung by Mr. S. R. Steele, the difficult runs and passages which occur throughout the solo being taken with an ease which ranked the singer as an artist as far as oratorio solos are concerned.

Mr. A. R. Stanfield's sonorous bass voice was heard with great effect in the air "The People that Walk in Darkness." The many friends of Mrs. A. V. Barnes were delighted to have an opportunity of again hearing her sing the contralto aria, "O Thou that Teltest," her voice ringing true and sweet in her rendition of this difficult number.

Miss Margaret Mitchell sang the solo, "O Holy Night" by Adam in a manner which charmed the congregation, her singing being marked by good expression. A very pleasing item was the mixed quartette, "Tis the Birthday of our Saviour," sung by Mrs. C. F. Garland, Miss A. Ledingham, Messrs. A. Lawrence and W. M. Mawer, Junior.

A ladies' quartette composed of the Misses M. Johnston, I. Glendinning, G. Clouston and R. Calvert sang "Adore and be Still" (Gounod) with much effectiveness. The "Hallelujah Chorus" from the Messiah, brought this excellent carol service to a close, and it will be long remembered with pleasure by those who were fortunate enough to attend.

A collection was taken in aid of the choir funds.

NFLD. AIRS ON RECORD

An Advocate representative had the pleasure of having Prof. Charles Hutton play on a gramophone at his studio the new Newfoundland record just received by him and offered now to the people. The record is of Sir Cavendish Boyle's "Ode to Newfoundland," on one side; and "The Banks of Newfoundland" on the reverse.

This is the first occasion on which a Newfoundland air has been recorded for the gramophone, and the results are sufficient to satisfy the most fastidious or hardest to please.

The Ode is sung by a quartet of male voices, as arranged by Prof. Hutton himself; and on the second part of the same side of the record sung in the popular way, as set to music by Sir Hubert Parry, the English musician. There is orchestral accompaniment to both settings of this moving air.

"The Banks" is played by a well-known New York band and is indeed a stirring and memory-reviving rendition. In one's mind one sees the boats "coming up the pond," and truly there could hardly be a more descriptive air than this.

Made by the Brunswick-Balke-Condenser Company of New York, this record is the result of twelve months' work and propaganda of Prof. Hutton, and we are sure that music lovers over all the country will be appreciative of his efforts on their behalf. Certainly every possessor of a gramophone in Newfoundland should have this record in their collection.

Prof. Hutton will have the record placed on sale in Boston and other places abroad where there are Newfoundlanders to buy. He is forwarding a copy to Lord Morris and to Sir Edgar Bowring, in London. The Newfoundland Club there will be supplied with a copy of the record.

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aria, "O Thou that Teltest," her voice ringing true and sweet in her rendition of this difficult number.

Miss Margaret Mitchell sang the solo, "O Holy Night" by Adam in a manner which charmed the congregation, her singing being marked by good expression. A very pleasing item was the mixed quartette, "Tis the Birthday of our Saviour," sung by Mrs. C. F. Garland, Miss A. Ledingham, Messrs. A. Lawrence and W. M. Mawer, Junior.

A ladies' quartette composed of the Misses M. Johnston, I. Glendinning, G. Clouston and R. Calvert sang "Adore and be Still" (Gounod) with much effectiveness. The "Hallelujah Chorus" from the Messiah, brought this excellent carol service to a close, and it will be long remembered with pleasure by those who were fortunate enough to attend.

A collection was taken in aid of the choir funds.

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And Mr. S. O'Leary is on the "Quaker Girl."

Salvation Army Gives 300 Parcels To the Poor

Doing Noble Work In City

The first flush of Christmas has passed, and once again has the Salvation Army proved its friendship and worth to the poor and disinherited of the city.

One more Christmas season has witnessed the Army's machinery of distribution set in motion, and on Saturday afternoon, at the College on Springdale street, 300 parcels were placed in the possession of as many needy families—needy, in the majority of cases, thru no fault of their own, but thru circumstances which might overtake the best of us at any time.

Three hundred homes were made relatively happy this Christmas by the Christian activities of the Salvation Army, and if there was a family that enjoyed less than a good Christmas dinner, it was not the fault of the Salvation Army. The efforts of this altruistic band of men and women were quite free of sectarian bias, and their scope of generosity excluded no one because of his religious denomination. "Do you need it?" That was the only question asked by the Salvation Army.

Each parcel contained sufficient for a family of seven for Christmas day, and for longer for a family of say, three or four. Each of these was a genuine and legitimate case of need, and the total might be said to be the total of needy cases in the city.

The money with which the contents of the parcels were purchased came out of collections made by the Army, both by personal solicitation and by the "Keep-the-pot-Abolishing" movement. Perhaps the latter method of collection was the most arduous, as Salvation lassies (as well as lads, had to stand sometimes for hours in the chilly or wet weather and remind passers-by that the pot was not full yet.

Every one who donated to the fund may indeed feel that he helped a great and worthy cause, and that the cause was in turn well carried out by the Salvation Army in its distribution. The citizens of St. John's might well bless the Salvation Army in its noble work of bringing happiness as far as in them lies to those of our citizens, who were not able to help themselves.

Special services of a Christmas nature were held in the several barracks of the Army yesterday afternoon. At No. 1 there was a concert in the afternoon and distribution to the winners of Sunday Schools prizes by Santa Claus, who was present in his seasonal garb. Mrs. Col. Martin was there in the absence of Col. Martin, who is confined to his home following his return from the hospital, where he had been as a result of a fall on the ice.

At No. 2 there was a cantata entitled "The Wise Men from the East," under the direction of Staff Captain R. Tilley.

The Salvation Army is always open to receive donations and gifts from generously-disposed citizens who wish to aid the poor of the city. The Army has its own machinery of locating really needy ones, and of distributing to them, irrespective of religion or anything else but actual need. It is plain, therefore, that one desiring to do his best to alleviate suffering among poor people could do no better than let the Army do it for him.

A Contradiction

Editor Evening Advocate.

Dear Sir,—I saw, some time ago, an item in the Evening Advocate to the effect that William Dowden, carman, had his arm injured by colliding with a motor car on Duckworth St. Mr. Dowden is not likely to be caught by even a motor car with his spritely "gray."

Yours truly,



Bobbie has printed the names of three articles of hardware, but he has got the letters all mixed up. If you will rearrange the letters on each line, you will have the names of the articles. What are they? Answer to yesterday's puzzle: BAT, PARCEL, KITE, SKATE, SHOE, ME, BREAD, STAPLE, NAIL, STOCKING, ARITHMETIC.

LINDA PARDY REFLOATED

GOT SIX MONTHS EACH

The little Newfoundland schooner Linda Pardy, which was washed high and dry on the shore at Mira about the first part of November, during the terrific northeast gale that wrought such havoc to shipping along the Newfoundland and Cape Breton coasts, was successfully floated by Hayward Collins, who was in charge of operations for a party of local men, who undertook, on the basis of "no save, no pay," to float the craft and bring her here for a certain sum. Although successful, it is believed the local men did not make any money out of the contract, as they were practically employed on the job since the tenth day of November, using material and gear that cost considerable. The vessel is

now alongside the slip wharf waiting her turn to be pulled up. She is making considerable water necessitating the work of constant pumping. She is, it is understood, not badly damaged, and will be as good as ever after slight repairs are effected.—N.S. Herald.

And Mr. Charles Udle is on the "Quaker Girl."

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TODAY IN HISTORY



December 26, 1917, American troops crossed the Mexican border and killed ten bandits.

Find an American.

Answer to yesterday's puzzle: Left side down, among sheep.

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ST. JOHN'S NEWFOUNDLAND, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1921

Helping Out Unemployment

The action of the Government in allowing a bounty of \$30.00 per ton on all schooners over 25 tons up to and including 50 tons built this winter, is one which is hailed with satisfaction all over the country.

This not only assists fishermen to replace schooners which have been lost the past year, but provides much needed employment for many who otherwise would find it hard this winter to get work.

It is also great encouragement to build up that class of schooner which is so handy for our rugged coasts, and there is no doubt but that many will avail of this increased bounty, which is only paid if the schooners are ready for sea by next July.

The Government are aiding every legitimate endeavour to provide work for those who have been thrown out of employment, and while the problem is a difficult one in many respects, it is one which is receiving the constant attention of the Government.

The bounty referred to above is governed by the following conditions:

A bounty of \$30.00 per ton will be paid on all schooners over 25 tons up to and including 50 tons built on and under the following conditions, viz.:-

1. The keels must be laid on or after the 15th day of October, 1921.
2. The schooners must be fully equipped and ready for sea by July 1st, 1922.
3. Such schooners must be built in all respects in accordance with requirements of schedules B and C of Chapter 176, Consolidated Statutes (3rd Series) entitled "Of the Encouragement of Ship Building."
4. Each schooner shall be furnished with Lloyd's tested chains of suitable size and lengths, anchors, chain-plates, deadeyes, hawserpipes, rigging, sails and spars according to tonnage, all of which shall be new.
5. Schooners receiving this bounty shall not be entitled to any bounty under the said Chapter 176.

Bursting Automatic Fire Apparatus Floods Factory

The patent fire extinguishing apparatus bursting at the Newfoundland Clothing Factory at 7 o'clock this morning, flooded the building and at the same time automatically sent in an alarm to the Central Fire Station. The watchman of the premises was just making his rounds when the accident occurred so that he was able to turn off the water quickly and prevent greater damage being done. The firemen turned out but on finding that there was no fire, returned to their station.

The apparatus gave out by a small spring, used to keep down the cap on the main release pipe, becoming released by some unknown way. Ordinarily this spring is supposed to be released by being melted in the event of a fire starting. Up to noon Manager Vavasseur was unable to even approximate the extent of the damage but we learn the machinery came in for a greater share of the flowing water than did the stock.

Waiting impatiently for his delayed breakfast, a man called upstairs to his wife to hurry down, as he had to get to "pizness" early.

No answer received, he rushed to the bath-room and banged loudly at the door. Still no response.

He burst open the door, only to discover that his wife had fallen into a faint. Without further ado he went to the landing and called kitchenwards: "Rachel, only boil van egg this morning!"

ADVERTISEMENT IN THE "ADVOCATE"

A CHRISTMAS WELL SPENT

AT HIS MAJESTY'S PENITENTIARY.

"I cannot take my walk abroad, I'm under lock and key, And much the public I applaud For all their care of me. Not more than others I deserve, Yet God has given me more, For I have food while others starve And beg from door to door."

Sometime ago, while going the rounds of a prison in England, the Superintendent found the foregoing lines in lead pencil on the inside of a cell door. In this connection at the present moment, they are somewhat suggestive. To most of us, Christmas is—before anything else—a season of happiness. To many folk Christmas wouldn't be Christmas at all unless it meant the extension of that happiness to others in the shape of tissue-wrapped packages, etc. That is all very nice and pleasant, if the kindly hand is extended in the right way and to deserving persons. For there are two kinds of givers—thoughtful ones, and those who give on the impulse of the moment, without due discrimination. However, I think we are safe in saying that all those who visited the Penitentiary on Sunday last belong to the former class. They gave liberally of both the spiritual and material blessings at their disposal.

At seven a.m. the Rev. Father Pippy of St. Joseph's, celebrated Mass in the main ward, a temporary altar having been erected for the occasion. All the Roman Catholic inmates attended. This occupied the time and attention of the wardens on duty till 8.15.

Between half-past 12 and 1 o'clock the prisoners took dinner, which largely consisted of fresh beef and plum pudding, thoughtfully and amply supplied by the Government through the Department of Public Works.

At 2 p.m. Canon Field conducted a service for the benefit of the Protestant inmates, pretty well all of whom were present. The reverend gentleman, who is a very pleasing speaker, delivered an appropriate and touching address on the Gospel for the day, and was attentively listened to throughout.

Then at 3 o'clock, the Salvation Army came on with their team of choristers and splendid brass band of fifteen or twenty instruments, more or less, and at intervals, all through the time occupied by them, played and sang Christmas airs and anthems, to the obvious delight of the whole audience. At the close, and under the direction of Adjutant French, each inmate was given another and more substantial treat in the shape of cake, candy and fruit, which the Army officers had brought with them for distribution.

Lastly, to "ladies bountiful" from the Women's Christian Temperance Union—Mrs. John Clouston and Mrs. Withers—not only gave each of the prisoners at the afternoon services a bag of cakes and fruit, but left with the wardens a generous supply for distribution among those who were not present. Altogether it is safe to assume that last Sunday was one of the most enjoyable Christmas Days on record at the Penitentiary here.

At 9 o'clock this (Tuesday) morning, as soon as the officials of the Penitentiary had returned from breakfast and reported for duty, Superintendent Parsons read to them the following message received by him from the Prime Minister Sir Richard Squires, K.C.M.G., late on Saturday evening:-

Montreal, Dec. 24, 1921

"Alex A. Parsons,
"Supt. H. M. Penitentiary,
"St. John's, Nfld.
"Accept my best wishes for a merry Christmas and a happy

MEMORIAL BUILDINGS

(Methodist Monthly Greeting)

The good Book tells us that where there is no vision the people perish. This is a significant utterance and has wide-spread application. Take it, for instance, as it applies to our educational work. When a memorial for our fallen heroes in the war was in contemplation, the thought came to the Superintendents of Education that no more worthy memorial for our glorious dead could be found than to erect by popular subscription, assisted, if necessary, by legislative grant, a Newfoundland College building which would combine the professional training of teachers, the application of science to our local industries and higher education, so that our young people may secure at home the training to obtain which they now go abroad, and our people may have such help as modern science can afford in making their duty tell more remunerative. This idea was endorsed by the Memorial Committee and by what a short time ago would have been deemed a miracle, it was found possible to secure the warm co-operation of the heads of the different Churches—Roman Catholic, Church of England and Methodist, besides those of the smaller denominations. Such a result of the war would have gone far to compensate Newfoundland for the terrible loss of her sons in the conflict and no nobler tribute could have been raised to their memory, unless indeed it had been possible to erect a great Cathedral to indicate a union of all our Christian Churches. That Newfoundland with her denominational system of education was to be blessed with a Newfoundland College, including all denominations, seemed to forecast the millennium. That our fallen heroes should have their names linked up for all time with the intellectual development of young Newfoundlanders, was surely the highest earthly honour that could crown their hallowed memory. But alas, alas, Newfoundland, as always, had clogs on the wheels of progress. Money at that time was abundant, and the hearts of the people overflowed with devotion for their glorious sons, and any reasonable amount could have been secured for their memorial. But every step of progress was blocked by men utterly lacking in vision—men mighty to obstruct what others had planned and rendered possible. The result is that after three years nothing worthy has been done towards a National Memorial.

And now note a contrast. The Knights of Columbus, representing not all the people of Newfoundland, not all the Roman Catholic people of Newfoundland, not even all the Roman Catholic people of St. John's, but a part of the last mentioned only, conceived the idea of raising a monument to the members of their order who died in the war. They decided upon an educational building, and not being afflicted with obstructionists among their membership they got busy with the result that already a building has been erected and equipped for educational purposes at a cost of \$80,000; a building that would do credit to any city or any community anywhere. His Excellency the Governor, His Grace the Archbishop, the Prime Minister and many others took part in the opening ceremonies and had nothing but praise for the building as in all respects a worthy memorial of these fallen heroes. We cannot but hope that even yet there will be found a sufficient number of men, capable of realizing the possibilities involved, to demand a similar monument, only on a larger scale as befits a National effort, in memory of all the heroes of Newfoundland. Indeed the Government has pledged \$100,000 towards a National Memorial to take the form of a College for Teacher Training, unless meantime the larger plan becomes possible, when, presumably, it would be their contribution towards that more worthy monument. And who will say that our glorious dead should not have as their memorial the larger building, with possibilities of the larger service, as the more fitting tribute to their memory—the love-gift of a country? No one surely whose loved ones were engaged in the conflict, much less anyone whose loved ones are numbered among the immortals.

"New Year. Kindly convey my greetings to your official staff."
"R. A. SQUIRES."

The officials, it is needless to add, heartily reciprocate Sir Richard's friendly message and wish him many returns of the joyous season.

Yours faithfully,
R. L. WHITE,
Englee.

And Miss O'live Major is on the "Quaker Girl."

Arrived With Coal—The S. S. Watka, 2 days from Sydney, arrived yesterday afternoon bringing 2,000 tons of coal to M. Moray & Co., Ltd.

Englee Man Gives A Boost To Mr. Scammell

St. John's, Dec. 26th, 1921.

Editor Evening Advocate,

St. John's:

Dear Sir,—May I, through the columns of your much read paper, be permitted to say a few words to the people of St. Barbe District, concerning the man who represents them in parliament.

For some time I have had the privilege of seeing for myself, some of the difficulties he has had to face, and I can say to you that you have placed your interests in the hands of a man who is worthy of your support and confidence.

Mr. Scammell, during his two years of office, has had tremendous responsibilities placed upon him, as have members of other districts, owing to the state of depression that prevails throughout the Country, in common with all other countries, as a result of the late war.

I am glad to be able to say, that Mr. Scammell has the interests of his district at heart, and is devoting his energies towards the welfare of his people, which some of our past Members cannot truthfully claim.

Mr. Scammell, although quite a young man, to have such a responsibility placed upon him, has undoubtedly shown his ability, in a way that should convince everybody, that he is the right man in the right place.

Of course there are some who will find fault and criticize, but that is to be expected, it is part of the game; and even that sometimes has its advantages, because criticism often causes a man's work to be placed before the public, and in this way, many men have become great statesmen, because people have been able to recognize their ability.

Many people do not realize what our District Members have to contend with, while there are others who believe they have nothing to do but have a good time and enjoy themselves, but a District like St. Barbe from Bonne Bay to La Scie, with so many towns and settlements, each one having so many things to be attended to, is no light job to represent. If people would think for themselves, they would soon be convinced that their Members have something to do after all.

So, people of St. Barbe, don't expect too much all at once, I can assure you that Mr. Scammell is doing all that can possibly be done under present conditions, and by giving him your support and your confidence, you will be giving him encouragement, and will be helping him to do still more for you whenever opportunity presents itself.

Yours faithfully,
R. L. WHITE,
Englee.

And Miss O'live Major is on the "Quaker Girl."



December 27, 1921, Chinese rebels defeated at
Sah-chiao-tsang.
Find another rebel.
Answer to yesterday's puzzle: Right side down, at hat and shoulder.

Thanks of Winners of The Contest

202 Duckworth St., City.

Dec. 24th.

Editor "Advocate"

Dear Sir,—I received your cheque for the \$5.00 for which I send you my best thanks. I feel very proud of being one of the lucky ones.

I wish you and your paper every prosperity for the coming year.

Yours truly,
MARGARET EADIE.
Age 10.

P.S.—I have thanked Hon. Tasker Cook for the beautiful chocolates.

"Tact," said the lecturer, "is essential to good entertaining. I once dined at a house where the hostess had no tact. Opposite me sat a modest, quiet man.

"Suddenly he turned as red as a lobster on hearing his hostess say to her husband, 'How inattentive you are, Charlie! You must look after Mr. Brown better. He's helping himself to everything.'"

44 King's Road,
Dec. 27th, 1921.
Editor Evening Advocate.

Dear Sir,—Many thanks for your good wishes and promptness in forwarding cheque \$7.50, 1st prize in "Ballot Contest."

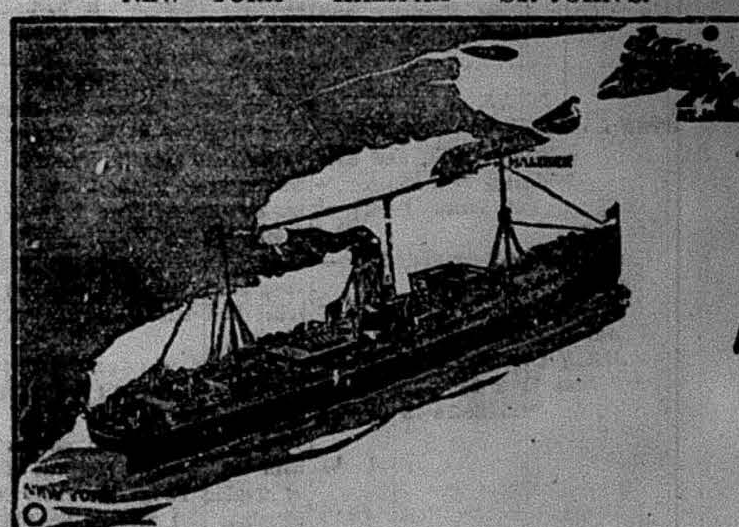
Wishing you the Compliments of the Season.

Yours truly,
MRS. J. J. EVANS.

And Mrs. F. J. King is on the "Quaker Girl."

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PAUSE AND PAWS!

The hostess, an amiable bundle of her utmost to hide the fact that she recently acquired wealth, was doing was not familiar with the intricate manipulation of a melon-fork. Following the principle "When in doubt, keep still," she placed her large, fat red hands across the front elevation of her expansive waist.

Suddenly there came a general lull in the chatter, and a bright youth turned to his hostess and muttered, sagaciously: "Awful pause, eh?"

The hostess, unhitching herself, as it were, and thrusting her enormous knuckles out of sight, blurted out: "Yes, and so would yours be if you'd had to work as hard as I did before the war!"

PUBLIC NOTICE!

Under the provisions of Chapter 35 of the Consolidated Statutes of Newfoundland, Third Series, entitled "Of the Postal and Telegraph Service," and upon recommendation of the Board appointed under Section 101 thereof, Public Notice is hereby given that three months after date, Proclamation will issue for the re-naming of places as under, that is to say:-

1. Broom's Bottom, District of St. George, to be regarded as part of York Harbour, and in future both these Settlements to be known by the latter name.
2. Horse Cove, near Portugal Cove, Conception Bay, to be re-named St. Thomas's.
3. Caplin Bay, District of Ferryland, to be re-named Calvert.
4. Harcourt and Somerset, Smith's Sound, Trinity Bay, to be regarded as one settlement, and to be re-named Hollingside.

R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.

Dept. of the Colonial Secretary,
October 25th, 1921.
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MR. WITHY RETURNS THANKS

To those Ladies and Gentlemen who voted for me and to those who tried to vote me but could not, I wish to extend my heartiest thanks. The confusion caused by the bungling of those whose business it was to see that all entitled to vote should have had no difficulty to record their vote, and the lack of accommodation for those who got the chance to vote, shows clearly that it is high time that a real representative of the people should be on the Council Board Dec. 24th, 1921.

to represent the interests of the people and especially the interests of the labouring class and the poorer element of the community. While I was not elected, it was a close thing and I can only hope for, as so many, since the election have said to me "Better luck next time."

I congratulate those elected. I sympathize with those not elected, and I wish all the citizens, male and female, the compliments of the season and all happiness and prosperity for the coming year and the years to come.

Yours sincerely,

E. J. WHITTY

The Labour Leader.

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LADRADOR IN WINTER

Editor Evening Advocate:

Dear Sir.—Very seldom you will find a report in the papers about the Labrador. During the winter season the Labrador seems to be cut off from the outside world altogether. And so in one sense it is, in regard to traffic, etc. Little of it is operated during the winter, while in summer traffic is carried on by mail steamers from Bay of Islands to Battle Hr., and from St. John's to the northern parts of the Labrador.

It has been my intention to make a few remarks concerning the condition of the Labrador to-day.

Now the beautiful summer months are ended, and the fishermen have finished their summer's business, everyone is looking forward for the hard and severe months of the winter. Winter has already approached and the snow is beginning to come, and Jack Frost is sending along the first biting of his sharp teeth.

The question is, what are the people of the Labrador going to do for this winter? The summer's catch of fish has been a small one with most of the people, and with what they get, in most cases they have not been able to pay all of their debts. The high cost of living and the low price of fish has made it hard for the people of the Labrador as well as it did to our own people in Nfld.

But with all the hardships of the Labrador the people are not so bad as one may imagine. I think there has been a considerable amount of food products sent on the Labrador by the Newfoundland Government this year, and if it had not been, things would have been pretty dull. But if it has been sent, some of it has not been distributed in the right way. There are several families on the Labrador (from Blanc Sablon as far north as Lance au Loup) that have not enough for this winter. Why? Because their good hearted neighbours that had money enough to buy sufficient food for this winter, went and got things from the Government and left their starving neighbours with nothing. Most of these men have enough for this winter and all next summer. And another thing, some are favoured more than others. But the same thing is done everywhere. Some people say: Oh, it's alright, the Government has a strong back, go right to it. But is it true? Look at the condition of our country to-day. Is she able to stand it? Who is making her like it? Why, these people that have no thought, no common sense and don't care what becomes of her. But Government relief is only a small portion that's handed in that way. But if that one thing was handled different it wouldn't take as much Government provisions.

Thanking you for space and wishing all people from the Labrador and Newfoundland every success for the coming winter.

I am, yours truly,

ANNO DOMINO.

December 1st.

PORT REXTON IN THE VANGUARD

On Wednesday night, the 6th inst., was held the regular meeting of the Union and before the time of opening the hall was well packed, practically every Union man in the harbor being on deck, the occasion being the hearing of a report from our delegate who lately attended the great 13th Convention at Port Union. All who braved the elements were well repaid for their efforts. The delegate, our esteemed fellow-townsmen and co-Unionist, friend Thos. Bailey, was right there with bells on. To say that nothing escaped friend Tom is only saying part of the story. With splendid diction, and unbounded zeal, he carried his hearers right through the Convention with him, emphasizing the different points with force and amid prolific enthusiasm. Friend Tom makes a fine delegate, and as there is nothing latent in the heat of Union spirit in Port Rexton Council, it was a meeting that did one a world of good.

John Guppy, M.H.A., Chairman Jas. Butler, and others who attended the Convention also added their quota of information and came in for their share of applause and enthusiasm. Who said the Union spirit was getting weak, poor fools!

On Monday night, the 12th inst., at the annual meeting of Trinity Lodge, L.O.A., Mr. Chas. Butler was elected to preside over the destinies of this flourishing lodge for the ensuing year. We wish him a most successful term of office.

On Tuesday night the 18th inst., the Blackledge Club of Port Rexton held its election of officers, resulting as follows:

President—Robert Plowman, re-elected.
Vice-Pres.—Vivian L. Randall, elected.
Secty.—W. T. Randall, re-elected.
Treasurer—H. Randall, re-elected.
Executive Committee—Robert Rex, Sr., Kenneth Plowman, elected.
Trustees—Dr. C. F. Fitzgerald, Walter Randall, elected.
Auditors—Henry Plowman, Alex White, elected.

Past-President Sheppard acted as installing officer.

The Blackledge Club enters on its 3rd year with all the omens propitious. Their new club room, which has been erected by the unassisted and united efforts of club members, is now nearing completion and the club expects to hold its first meeting after Xmas in same. The club membership is now somewhere over 40 and as the aims and objects are intellectual, religious and social improvement of its members, it is bound to be a factor for good to be reckoned with in the life of this parish. The club is very fortunate in the choice of its officers for 1922 and we bespeak for it a most successful season and wish the officers and members the very best of luck.

Yours truly,

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Christmas At R. C. Cathedral

The usual Christmas services at the R.C. Cathedral began with Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve at which His Grace Archbishop Roche was the celebrant with Rev. W. S. McGrath as deacon and Fr. Leamey as sub-deacon. Rt. Rev. Mgr. McDermott was high priest, while the Archbishop's attendants were Rev. Dr. Carter and Rev. Fr. Flynn, B.A. Rev. Dr. Green was master of ceremonies. A guard of honor from the C.C.C. was present and presented arms at the Consecration.

The music on the occasion was excellent, consisting of a Kyrie from Gounod, the Gloria from Mozart's 1st Mass, while the Credo, Sanctus and Benedictus and Agnus Dei were also from Gounod. Miss Elizabeth Brown was the soloist and seldom has her beautiful voice been heard to better advantage. At the beginning of Mass or during the Procession in to the Sanctuary the C.C.C. Band rendered the Adeste Fideles and at the conclusion he band was again heard in the "Hallelujah Chorus" at 11 o'clock the same music was rendered.

Hold Meeting In New Hall

The Star of the Sea Association held their regular monthly meeting on Sunday in their new Hall, when a large number of members were present and several applicants were admitted to membership. President J. T. Martin presided and amongst those present was the Rev. Dr. Greene who addressed the Society and congratulated both the executive and the members on the splendid work that had been accomplished in the rebuilding of their hall after the destructive fire of last year. He was very pleased with the progress that had been made, and while the club rooms were now practically completed and ready for occupancy, the formal opening would take place at a later date, when His Grace the Archbishop would be present. Various matters in connection with the Association were discussed, and a full programme of the opening celebrations will shortly be announced.

Congress At S. A. Citadel

A Concert and Christmas Tree for the children was held at the S. A. Citadel last night, under the capable direction of Junior Sergeant Major A. G. Pynn, with Miss M. Barter at the piano. In the absence of Colonel Martin, who is still unwell, Mrs. Col. Martin presided. Many and interesting were the items rendered, particularly the song drama "Christmas Awakening," in which nearly every pupil had a part. The children acquitted themselves splendidly, evidencing the painstaking efforts of the teachers. After the programme had been concluded, Mrs. Martin announced that Santa Claus would soon be coming, and the children were delighted. Very soon he put in an appearance and after a few remarks proceeded to distribute the presents from the heavily laden tree, each of the little ones receiving a gift. This very happy event was brought to a close with the singing of the Doxology.

Delayed For Repairs—The S. S. Harmony was ready to sail for London yesterday morning, when it was found that some slight repairs were required in the engine room, and the ship will be delayed several days.

DRUNKEN GIRLS WERE ARRESTED SATURDAY NIGHT

Great Excitement Among Crowds

Great excitement was caused on Water Street Saturday night, when two drunken girls were arrested. Five policemen were required to get them aboard a cab.

The girls got into a quarrel with a man, who is said to have passed an insulting remark at them, and it was while this row was on that the police happened along. Quite a scuffle ensued in the officers' efforts to arrest them, and it took five to get the girls in the cab, one jumping out while the other was being secured.

A big crowd gathered, as it was just about closing hour and the street was full.

When the girls were aboard the cab, it was found that the horse would not go, and when at length the animal did start it was at a slow pace down Water Street.

Meanwhile a great crowd of people started after the cab with the intention of recapturing the girls. At one place they caught hold of the wheels of the carriage and by holding the spokes kept them from going round, so that they dragged along.

All the way down Water Street the middle of the street and both side walks were filled with people running after the cab, so that when the latter arrived at the bottom of the Court House steps the crowd was there too. Cries of "Go for them," "Haul the girls out," and "Sack it to the policemen," were heard. When the cab stopped near the police station, and the police got out and took the girls bodily with them, there was an attempt at rescue, but a cordon of policemen, who had left their beats and ran down Water Street with the crowd, just behind the cab, and then commandeered an auto, and so got there first, served to keep the crowd off, and the girls were taken struggling and yelling to be let go, into the lock-up and placed in the cells.

The Incoming Express Derailed

The express which left Port aux Basques Sunday morning and was due in town Monday afternoon was derailed at Overfall, near South Branch, six o'clock yesterday morning.

Five passenger cars left the track, but did not overturn, however. Only a few passengers were on the express this trip, and no one was injured.

It was expected that the cars would be replaced by daylight to-day and that the train should arrive by Wednesday evening.

Present To Superintendent

Supt. David Stott of the Postal Telegraphs, was presented with a handsome walking stick, on Xmas Eve, a gift from the city operators. Mr. O'Donnell in making the presentation read a brief address which referred to Mr. Stott's many acts of kindness to the staff. Mr. Stott was visibly affected, but although taken completely by surprise made a suitable reply and spoke feelingly of the harmony and good will existing between the management and the staff.

And Mr. F. J. King is on the "Quaker Girl."

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POLICE COURT

Two girls, arrested Saturday night for being drunk were arraigned before the Bar this morning. It was charged against them that they had broken the door of the cab in which they were being taken to the lock-up, as well as the canvas hood. The total damage was sworn as \$30. The Judge let the girls off on payment of the damage incurred, preferring not to send them to jail in this season when everybody is supposed to be having a good time.

Several drunks did not appear at the Bar, having been released Saturday night and Sunday morning on payment of costs. One young man who had been given in charge by his sister for kicking up a row in her house, was discharged by the Court.

Prospero Sails

The S. S. Prospero, Captain John Field, sailed north at 10 a.m. today, taking a full freight, mostly provisions. The ship is making her last trip to Quirpon for the season and in order to accommodate all available freight for this season, only cargo for points north of Fortune Harbour is being taken. A large number of passengers who have been spending Christmas in the city are also returning home by the steamer.

Presented Address

The workers of the Parcel Post department of the General Post Office on Xmas Eve presented to J. W. Kinsella, their superintendent, an address and fountain pen as a mark of the good will with which his fellow men regard him. Mr. Kinsella has worked with the Post Office for over forty years.

The address was presented by G. S. Garland, senior clerk, and the pen by Herbert Parsons.

Fire At Bell Island

BELL ISLAND, Dec. 24.—In the most spectacular fire ever witnessed here, the business place, outhouse and homes of Elias Basha and Edwin Newton were totally destroyed here early this morning. The fire had gained much headway before the brigades arrived. The residence of Richard Kent was extensively damaged and for a time it looked as if the Wabana Drug Co.'s premises was doomed, but a change of wind saved it. The loss is estimated at \$25,000, with partial insurance.

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LOCAL ITEMS

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Sailed For Sydney.—The tern schr. Cape Race sailed for Sydney yesterday where she load coal for Hr. Grace.

And Miss Mary Eagan is on the "Quaker Girl."

Left Yesterday.—The S. S. Sable 1 was scheduled to leave Halifax for here yesterday.

Due at New York.—The S. S. Rosalind is due at New York to-day from here and Halifax.

And Miss M. Kavanagh is on the "Quaker Girl."

Senel Back.—The S. S. Senel, Capt. W. H. Bartlett, arrived in port at 10 a.m. Sunday. The Senel brought a cargo of logging supplies to Gander Bay where operations are now in full swing.

And Dr. C. J. Howlett is on the "Quaker Girl."

Sailed For Spain.—The Spanish schooner Huelva has sailed from Bay Bulls for Seville, taking 4506 qtls. codfish and 843 qtls. haddock, loaded by Messrs. A. Hoar and J. Williams.

Express Passengers.—The following passengers arrived at Port aux Basques and left on the incoming express:—C. Chalmers, A. C. McIsaac, Miss B. Manuel, W. Bragg and F. G. Scott.

And Mr. E. V. Spry is on the "Quaker Girl."

Sebastopol Arrives.—The S.S. Sebastopol, Capt. Geo. Barbour, which had been as far north as LaSalle, arrived in port Sunday morning after a good round trip. The Sebastopol brought down a full cargo of supplies and made all ports of call.

And Mr. W. Wallace is on the "Quaker Girl."

Masonic Installation.—The installation of the Worshipful Master elect and investment of the other officers of St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M., will take place in the Masonic Temple this evening. In the absence of the District Grand Master the ceremony will be performed by the Deputy D.G.M., Wor. Bro. J. R. Bennett.

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RECEIVED ADDRESS AND TOKEN

President George A. Holwell and Secretary Fred Roberts of Local 294 of the Pressmen's Union were on Saturday afternoon in the L.S.P.U. Hall the pleasantly surprised recipients of an address and presents from their comrades in the union.

The address and presents were tendered on behalf of the union in remembrance of the popular officers' work for the organization. The address, which was written, was a fine testimony of the regard in which they are held by the members of the union. The presents were a shaving outfit for the President and a valuable fountain pen for the Secretary. Mr. Holwell and Mr. Roberts replied in appropriate terms to the good wishes of their friends.

ROTARY CLUB MEETS TO-DAY

This is a special day for the Club. Its regular weekly meeting to-day takes a form closely in alliance with the spirit of the season of Christmas, and a number of poor boys will benefit thru the Club.

When the dinner begins in the Green Lantern cafe each member of the club will have with him two young boys between ten and fourteen to take luncheon with them, and when the boys leave they will each be presented with a bag of eatables by "Santa Claus," at the door.

This is an innovation for any St. John's Club, and for the thoughtfulness of the Rotary great praise is due. This is the spirit that makes life worth living, and instead of catering to only their own comfort, as is usual, it is indeed good to see a club catering as well to the enjoyment of a number of human beings less fortunate than themselves.

The Governor will today be the speaker of the week.

There will be a special musical programme.

DEBATING CLUB OPENS SOON

Methodist College Literary Institute resumes its debates and literary activities after the break since last winter on the second Thursday in January, which falls on the fifth of the month. It is understood that the club has a very fine syllabus for debate this year.

Rink Is Open

The Prince of Wales' Rink was open yesterday for the first time this season and a fine sheet of ice was available for the hundreds of skaters who were present.

Them usic was furnished by Bennett's Band, while everything possible for the comfort and convenience of patrons is now provided by the management under the direction of Mr. P. E. Outerbridge, the new manager. While the ice holds good the Rink will be open each evening and it is expected the various hockey teams will be starting practice during the week.

MAY NOT BE ON LOST VESSEL

Enquiries are being made by the Department of Shipping here as to whether John and William Wade were on the Lunenburg schooner Viccola which is believed to have been lost with all hands while on the way from Sydney to this port with a coal cargo. It was believed by their families that these men were amongst the crew of the vessel but a message this forenoon from the Harbor Master at Sydney to the Deputy Minister of Shipping here states that so far as he has been able to ascertain they were not amongst her crew.



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Christmas Appeal

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- \$3.00—J. Levitz.
- \$2.00—Messrs. Meehan & Co., B. Bowring, Thomas Winter.
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